

## THE GULF DISASTER.

GALVESTON, Nov. 11, 1935. P.M.—The mate of the ship Cordonia, which was lying in immediately adjacent to the ship, saw the explosion of the "Alabama" on the lookout, when he heard a loud explosion and felt a shock. Looking in the direction of the Waco he saw she was enveloped in flames. About half an hour later he heard cries for assistance, and saw five or six persons in the water. A few minutes later he saw two persons float on a tender or piece of wood. He made preparations for rendering all assistance possible by setting out life-lines and life-buoys. The sun

was running so high at the time that it was impossible to launch a boat. After hearing this explosion he watched the steamer closely, and states that after the first few minutes the fire lost force and character. He noticed the statements of men on the three vessels nearest the burning steamer, and all agree as to have seen five or six persons in the water; also, hearing frequent explosions on the Waco, which was no doubt cases of oil.

All officers and experienced seamen are of the opinion that it was impossible for a boat to have

spread of the fire and the terrible sea that was running. There is nothing lower

FROM THE WEST.

Captain Sawyer, agent of the line, has been out since yesterday morning with a good crew. They will remain outside as long as there is any hope of saving one of the passengers or crew of the *Waco*.

MOODY AND SANKEY.

NEW YORK, Nov. 11.—The revival meeting at the Brooklyn tabernacle this a. m. was commenced by singing a hymn, after which requests for prayer to the number of one hundred were read. There were 9 for churches in various states, and a feeble church in the Adirondacks. A number of parties who confessed themselves backsliders asked for services. Rev. Th. Boyd.

ngton offered a fervent prayer, and the hymn "Rock of Ages" was sung. Mr. Moody read the chapter of Colossians, beginning at the 6th verse, and then took the 6th, 7th, 10th and 12th verses for the subject of his remarks. After the singing of a hymn by Sankey, Moody announced that the meeting would be opened for prayer and remarks, which he hoped, in order to give every opportunity, they would make short. Mr. Chas. Norton made a few remarks and offered prayer, and the pastor of the N. Y. Marine church.

that the work of Christ had been going on so in his church that he had not been able to get to his meetings before. He had seamen on their knees at the altar from nearly all parts of the world, and a few evenings ago an officer who had been detailed for duty at the church found his way inside and during the remarks was in tears. When the invitation was given to them to come forward, that officer knelt with the rest at the altar and was blessed. Rev. Fred. Bell offered prayer, after which Mr. Matthews, a dry goods merchant, told of his conversion; Mr. Barker

**The Pacific Disaster.**  
SAN FRANCISCO, NOV. 11.—The following-named persons met hereafter for some kind of a religious

on the steamship Pacific: J. Foster, J. W. Doyle, H. Sullivan, J. Kennedy, Wm. Powell, George Ward, Edward Shepherd, Frank McLaughlin, George Bryson, Wm. Campton, Wm. Power, Richard Trumbull, John Kenaly, Chris. Smith, George Pera, A. L. Rainey, G. Journeaux, F. Journeaux, F. Earnest Meyer, Joseph Haverly and wife, J. Thompson, Dennis Cain, J. Croden, E. Early, O. N. Miles, Adam Foster, R. Lyons, J. Pettit, Mr. and Mrs. Keller and child.

**THE CAPTAIN OF THE PACIFIC.**  
CINCINNATI, Nov. 11.—A Memphis special says Captain Howell, the lost commander of the Pacific, recently wrecked off the Oregon coast, was the youngest brother of Mrs. Jefferson Davis. He resided in New Orleans several years, served as midshipman in the Confederate navy, and was latterly promoted to the command of the Pacific.

**SEVERAL BODIES FOUND.**

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 11.—The steamship Guste Tellair returned at 9 o'clock last evening from cruise in the neighborhood of Cape Flattery for survivors from the Pacific. She found no living persons, but picked up the body of a woman, identified as that of Mrs. Heller, of San Francisco; the body of Mr. Vining Stellacom, of Washington territory; and the body of the stoker of the last

All these bodies had life-preservers on. The Silver Wolfcott picked up the body of the assistant steward, named Richard Jones, dead.

Steamers are still searching for more bodies. The Inquest on three was to be held to-day. Portions of the wreck are beginning to come ashore near this port.

Quartermaster O'Healy, of the Pacific, has made a statement which says about 250 people were on board. He got into the port boat with 15 women and six men, but the boat capsized; then

The Union League of America.  
PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 11.—The executive com-

office of the National Union League met this afternoon at the Colonnade hotel. Its proceedings were not made public.

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**BRIEF TELEGRAMS.**

NEW YORK, Nov. 11.—The Government awarded half a million gold to-day, at from 114 25 to 114 51.

WATERBURY, N. Y., Nov. 11.—The Vandyne house, at Henderson Harbor, was burned last night.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Nov. 11.—In the trial of Iagoon, for poisoning his wife, the jury to-day disagreed.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 11.—A boy named Samuel Fredericks accidentally shot himself with a pistol that was not supposed to be loaded. He died instantly.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 11.—Wendell Phillips stirred in favor of humane treatment of savages tonight. His object was to excite the white people.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 11.—William Wallen and Daniel Gordon were seriously and Frank Stevens slightly injured, this forenoon by the falling of a sill of a building on which they were at work. They were all bricklayers.

NEW YORK, Nov. 11.—The young mistress of Thomas B. Whitney, who committed suicide on Thursday Tuesday evening, is supposed to

ALBANY, Nov. 11.—Attorney General Pratt has prepared an opinion reversing the one recently given by his assistant, Fairchild, regarding the validity of the District of Columbia bonds as a paper security for saving banks.

CINCINNATI, Nov. 11.—At Houston, Ohio, yesterday, a man named Riddle, who rented his farm Wm. Snap, ordered the latter to vacate the

DEMOIST, MICH., Nov. 11.—The jury in the  
ard will case came into court at 11 o'clock last  
night, and announced that they were unable to  
agree. The question upon which they failed to  
agree being a matter of fact, and not of law, they  
were sent to their room again, and the court ad-  
journed till 10 o'clock this morning.

Methodist Episcopal Church continued its session to-day, Bishop Simpson presiding. Among the appropriations made were: Erie, \$1,000; Florida, \$3,500; Georgia, \$7,500; Louisiana, \$5,000; Mississippi, \$7,500; North Carolina, \$7,000; Philadelphia, \$4,000; Pittsburg, \$1,300; South Carolina, \$500.

NEW YORK, Nov. 11.—Advisers from Central and South America state that Gen. Camargo still occupied Panama with Government forces.

He reached the city at 10 o'clock.

was declared elected President of Colombia. Peru fourteen men were killed in an election. Gen. Prado is probably elected President. Caceres is probably elected President of Ecuador.

New York, Nov. 11.—Leonard Cox, cashier of the Western Union Telegraph Company here, is defaulting to the amount of \$15,000. Misappropriation of the company's funds for speculation on Wall street, with the expectation of returning when he won, is the cause of his downfall. It thought his friends will make his defaultation

NEW YORK, Nov. 11.—The old case of John Mahoney, the Fenian head centre against Halant & Co., bankers of New York, to recover \$752 in gold with interest to date, was up today in the Supreme Court of Brooklyn, on motion defendants' counsel for order granting leave to answer, which, he argued, would be just to his clients. Decision reserved.

Exchange yesterday that they were unable to meet their engagements. It appears Mills was a "bull" in the corner in October last. The firm deals both in securities and produce, and also does a banking business. The suspension is caused by the refusal of a firm to pay up the accounts due on their charge.

ough which are swept the wooden robbies, dust and shavings which accumulate on the virus floor, and is used for fuel. The fire was kindled up yesterday, and the gases which are usually generated by wet sawdust exploded, blowing off the wooden panels, and tearing through the openings in each floor, injured nine workmen, five of them (H. W. Hatch, John W. Lottel and M. Chackey) fatally.